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Application No.: **10/520,606-Conf. #9765**

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For: **CHOKE FOR CONTROLLING THE FLOW OF DRILLING MUD**

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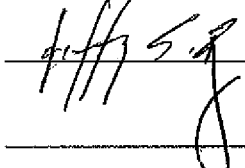
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